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Serial No.  
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Title: **"PREVENTION OF PRECIPITATION DEFECTS ON COPPER INTERCONNECTS DURING CMP BY USE SOLUTIONS CONTAINING ORGANIC COMPOUNDS WITH SILICA ADSORPTION AND COPPER CORROSION INHIBITING PROPERTIES"**

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**Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers**  
**Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (copy to be returned with response)**  
**Twelve (12) sheets of substitute drawings**  
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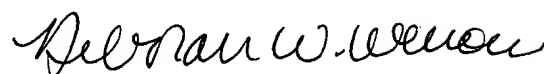
Dear Sir,

This is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated  
February 21, 2001.

Enclosed herewith for filing are twelve (12) sheets of substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84, having the appropriate margins as requested. There is no new matter.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0365.

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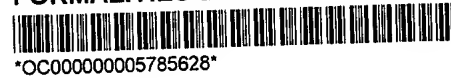
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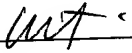
***Filing Date Granted***

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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